

Iowa's Annual Condition of Education Report

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Slow Growth, Suburban Shift

- 2.6% population increase since 2000 (Nation: 8%)
- 75 counties saw declines (Pocahontas, Ida)
- **6.7%** under age 5 (Polk County largest; Shelby, Winneshiek lowest)

Poverty Rate Low Compared to Nation

- 11% poverty rate, 16th lowest in the nation
- 13.6% children living in poverty, 14th lowest in nation

Manufacturing Might; Finance/Insurance Growing

- 21.4% (average) of GDP manufacturing since 1998
- 2.5 % gain in finance & insurance industry (largest)

More Children Facing Abuse/Neglect 19.8 out of 1,000 children abused/neglected (steadily increased from 2002 to 2005)

More Diverse, Nation Much More

9.7% population minority; fifth lowest in nation

2.9% in 1990

Working For A Living

64.6% of families where both parents work outside the home

4th highest in the nation (Nation: 55.6%)



Our Schools

Suburban Schools Growing

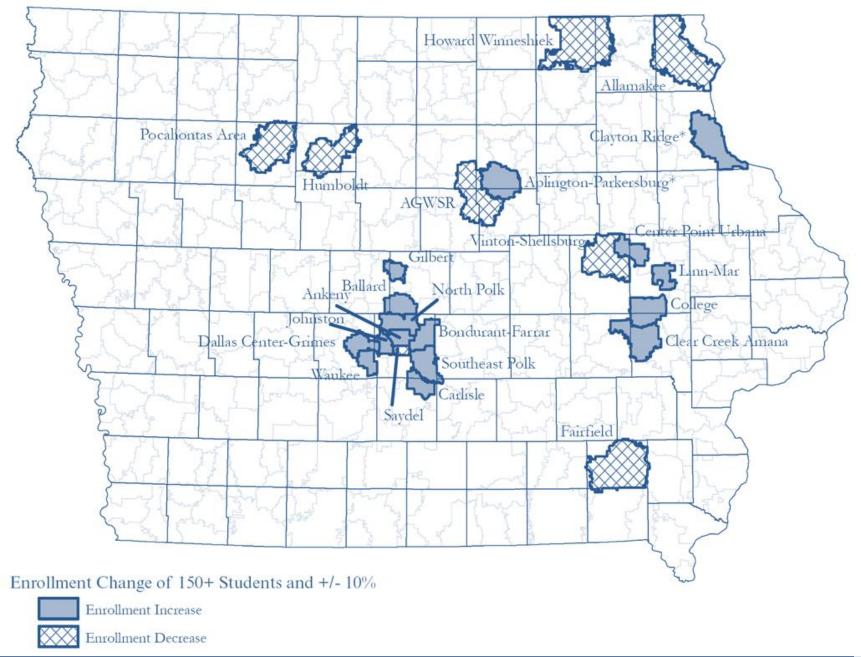
- 9% of schools educate 49% of the student population
- Largest enrollment gains near
 Des Moines, Iowa City, and Cedar Rapids.

More Mid-sized School Districts

- <300: 19.7% in 1990; 14.9% in 2009
- 600-999: 19.5% in 1990; 24.0% in 2009
- 1000-2499: 16.9% in 1990; 21.5% in 2009

Fewer Students, Increase Projected

- 1,191 fewer public school students statewide than 20 years ago
- 2.2 % projected increase in 5 years











Our Students

Most Feel They Have Family Involvement and Support

- 74 % of 6th graders
- 70 % of 8th graders
- 57 % of 11th graders

Some Say Staff, Students at School Supportive

- 60 % of 6th graders
- 40 % of 8th graders
- 30 % of 11th graders



15.5% minority students;5.5% two decades ago

Hispanic students 7%,
1.1% two decades ago

20,774 ELL students;
 doubled in 10 years

African-American students
5.8% of enrollment,
2.7% two decades ago



34.1% students
eligible for
free/reduced meals;
26.7 % in 2000-01

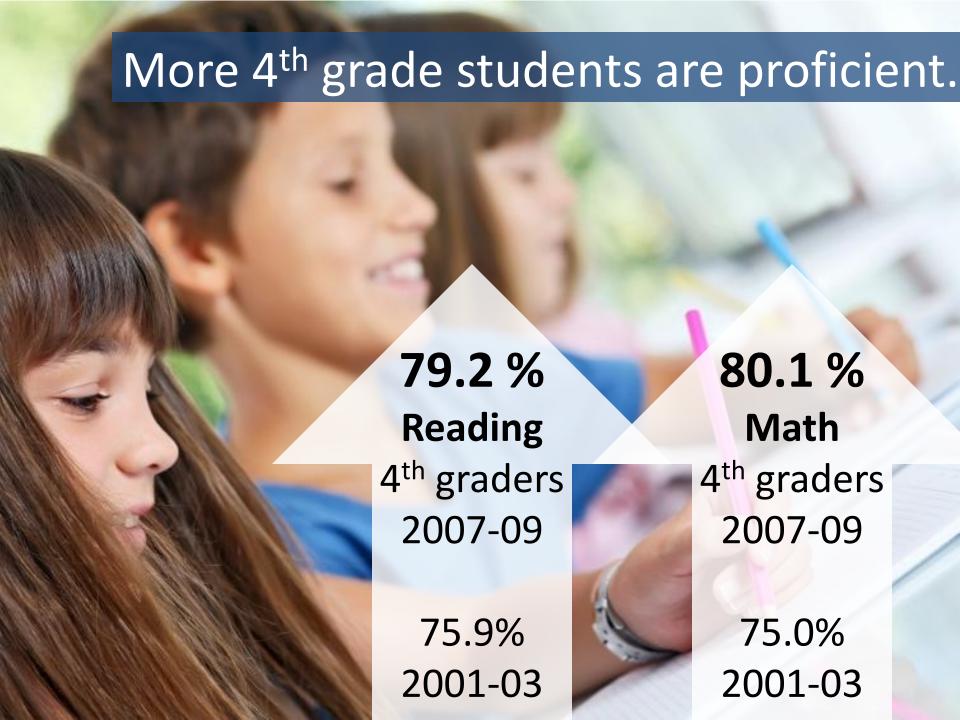
Special Education students nearly 13%

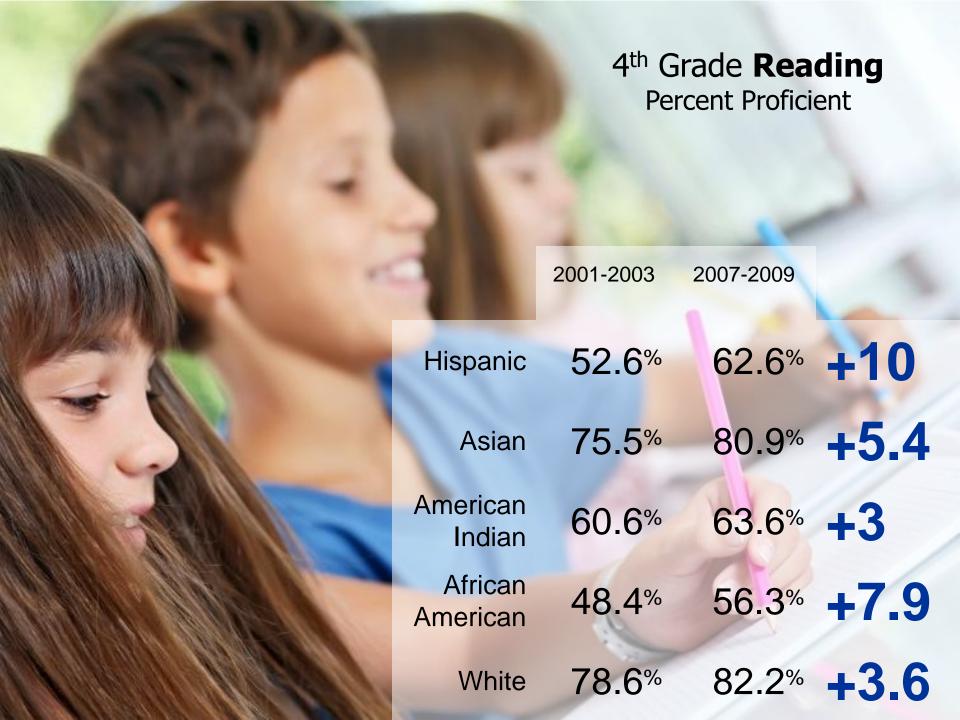
• 12.7% of enrollment 11.8% in 1997-98

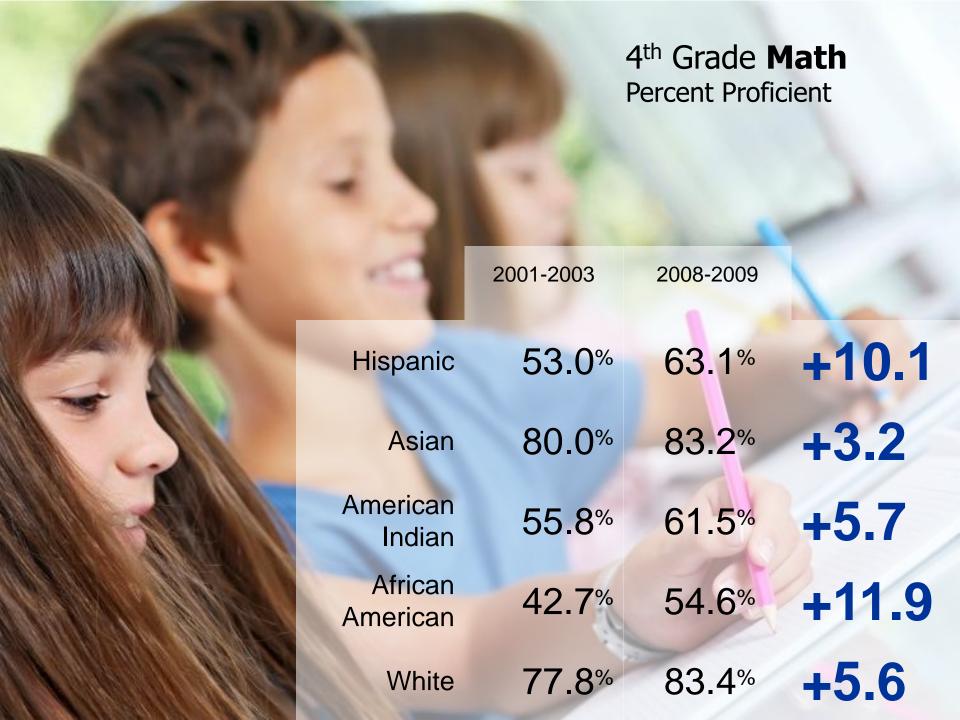


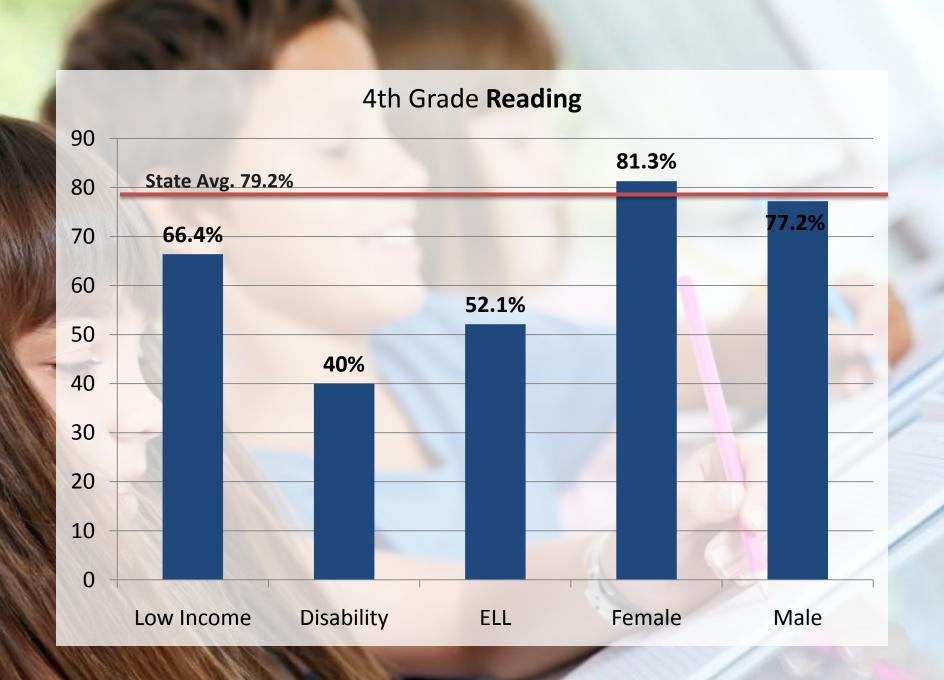


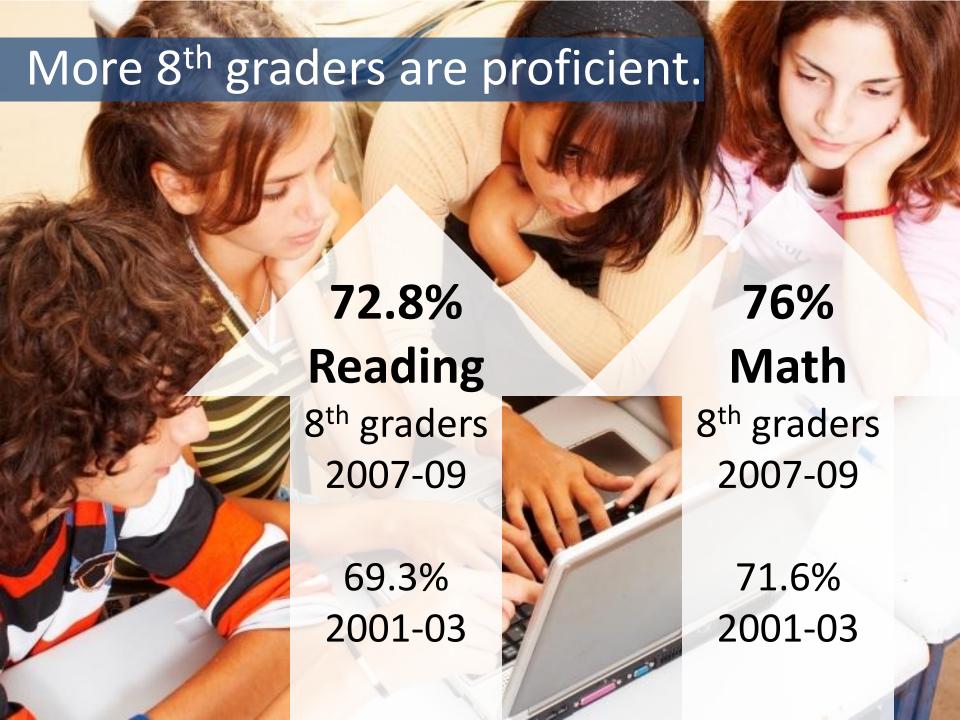


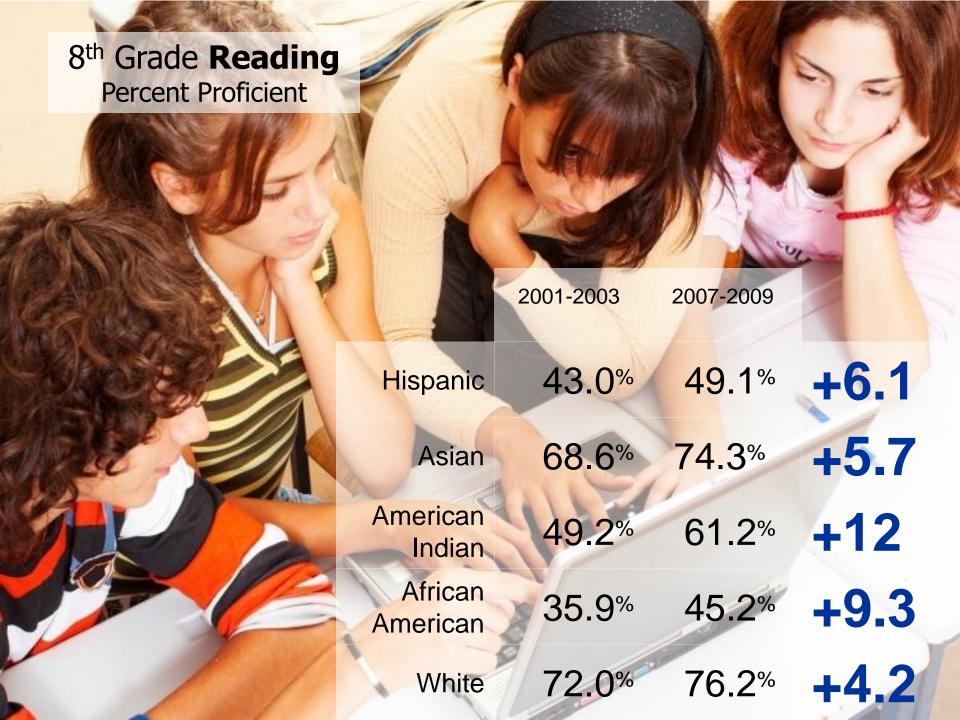


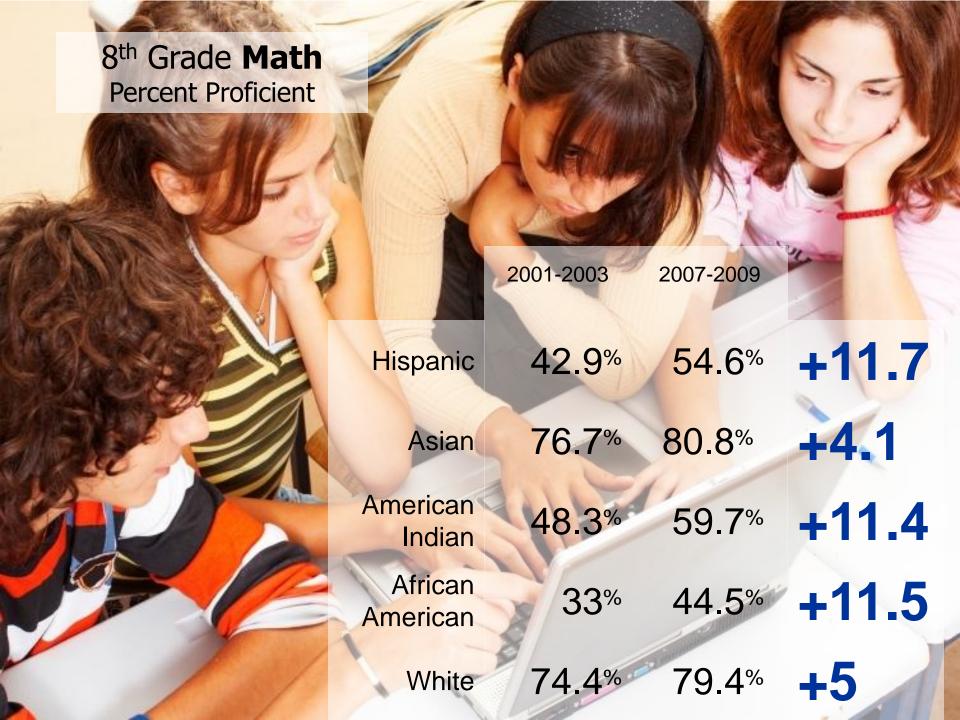


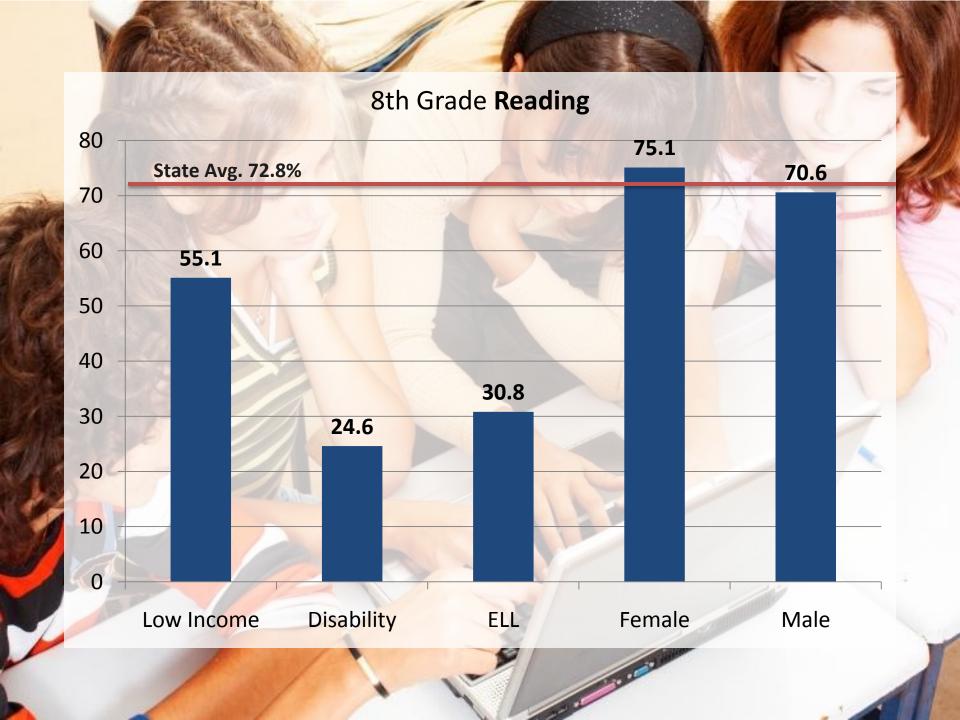


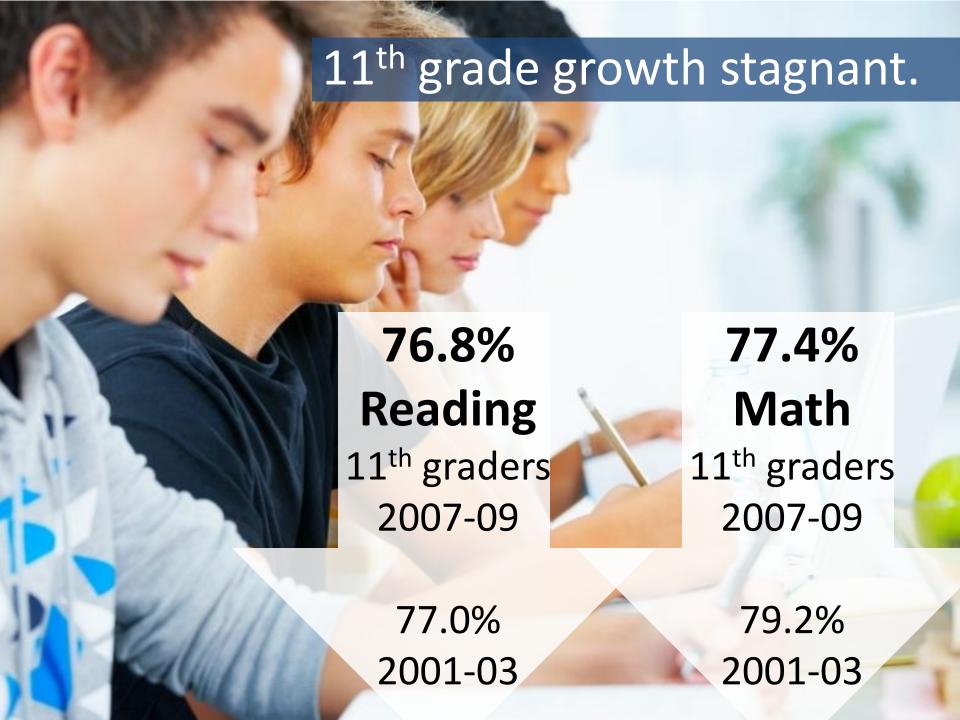


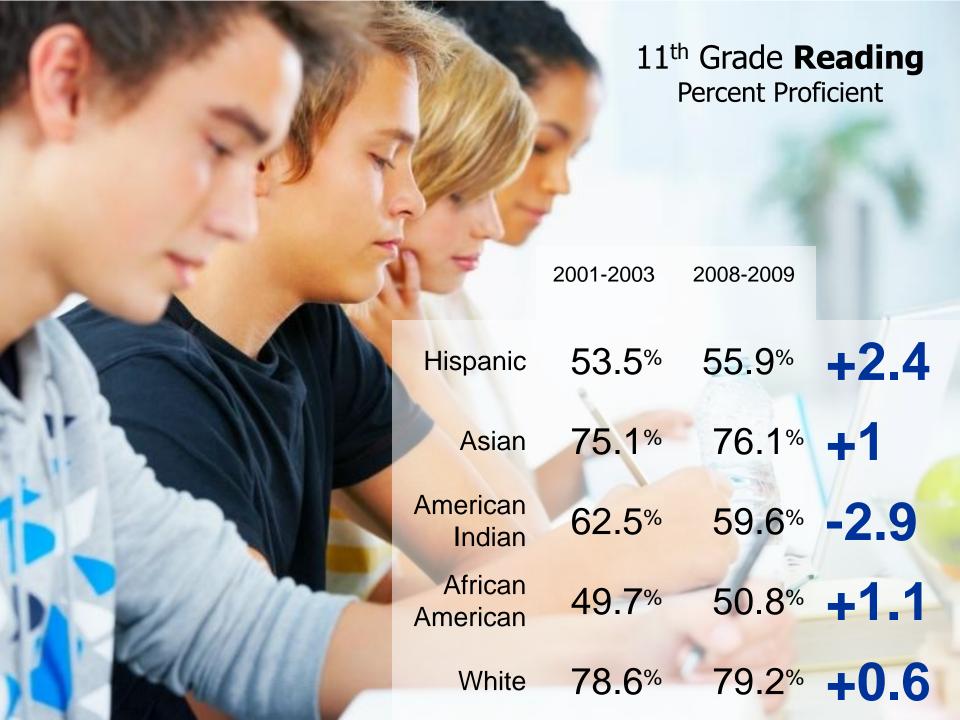


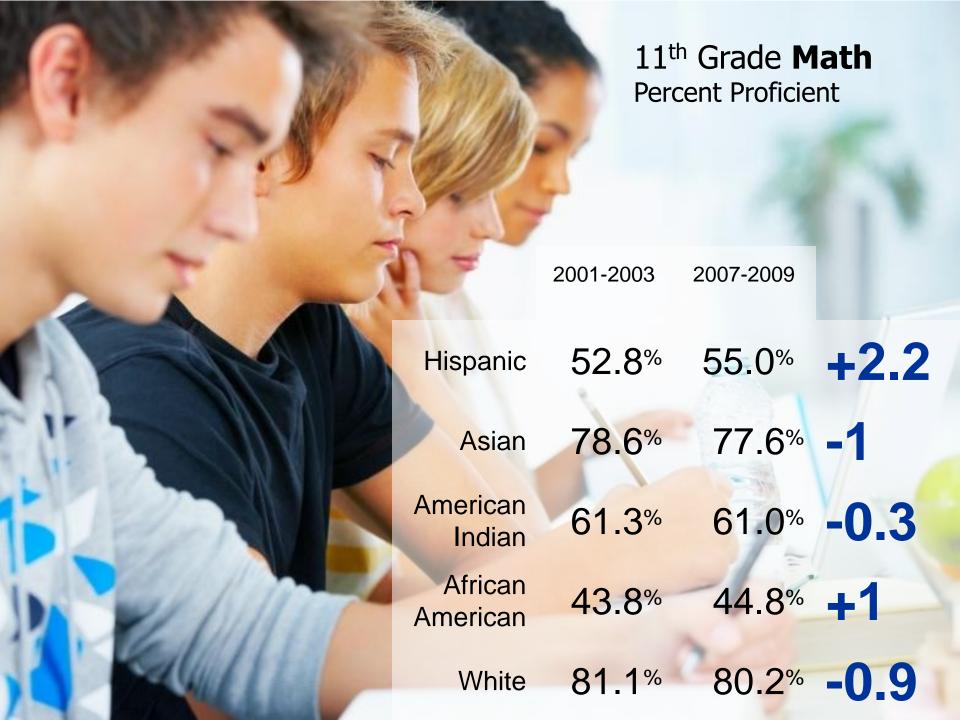


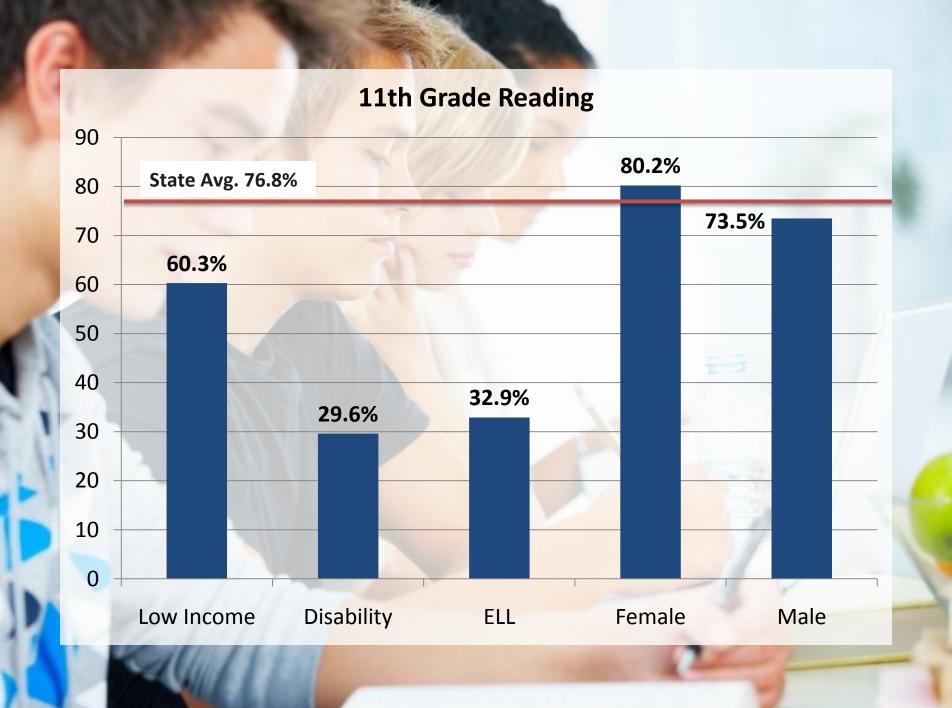




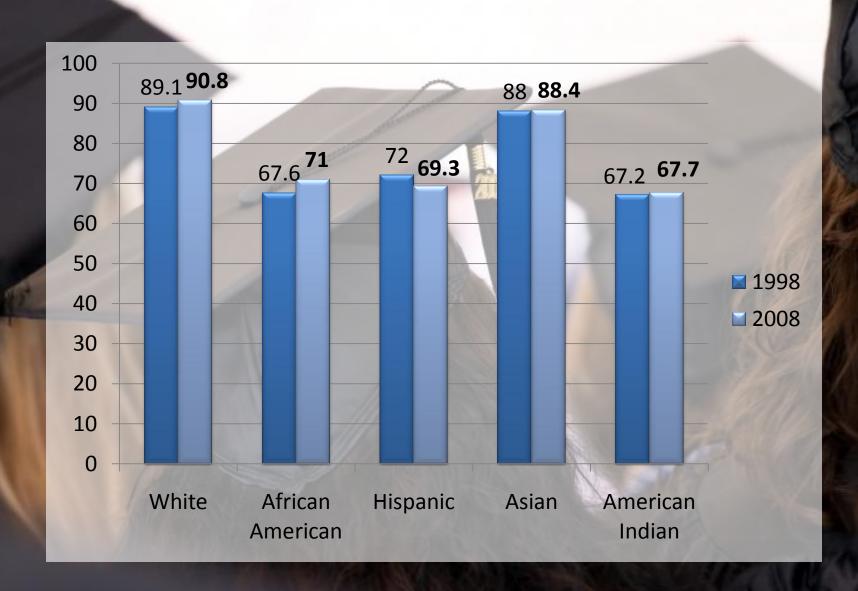








Graduation Rates



Our Students

ACT Scores Top in Nation

- 22.4 composite score (Nation: 21.1)
- 78% taking core (Nation: 70%)

SAT Scores Top in Nation

- 610 critical reading (Nation: 501)
- 615 math (Nation: 515)
- 588 writing (Nation: 493)

Graduation Rate Top in Nation

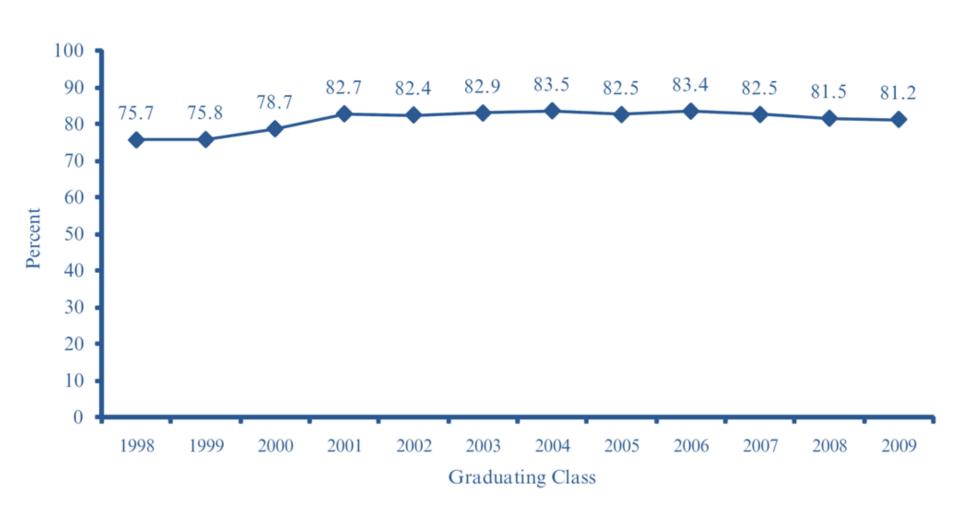
• 88.7%

Students Score 3+ on AP Exam

• 65.6% (Nation: 58.9%)

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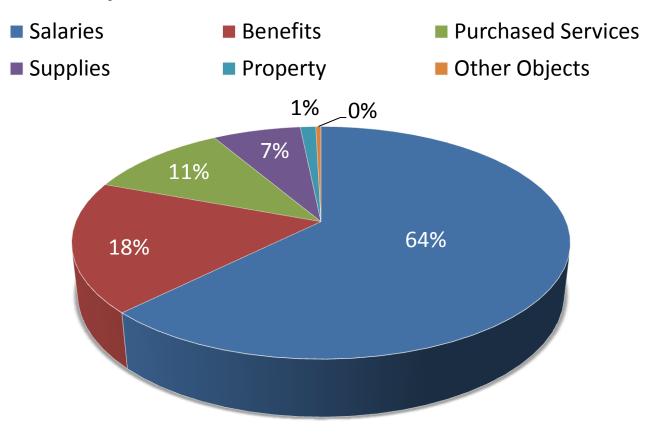
Intentions to Pursue Postsecondary Education



FUNCTION CATEGORY EXPENDITURES AS A PERCENT OF TOTAL GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURES IN IOWA PUBLIC SCHOOLS BY ENROLLMENT CATEGORY 2007-2008

Function Category	< 300	300-599	600-999	1,000- 2,499	2,500- 7,499	7,500+	State Total
Instruction	70.4%	69.4%	69.6%	69.5%	69.1%	69.7%	69.5%
Student Support Services	1.4	2.3	2.6	3.1	3.8	4.1	3.3
Staff Support Services	2.4	2.7	3.0	3.7	3.7	3.5	3.4
Administration &							
Central Services	12.2	11.9	11.0	10.6	10.7	10.6	10.9
Operations & Maintenance	8.0	8.3	8.6	8.8	9.0	9.1	8.8
Student Transportation	4.9	5.3	5.1	4.2	3.7	3.0	4.0
Community Service & Ed	0.7	0.0	0.1	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.1

Expenditures as Percent of General Fund



REVENUES BY SOURCE AS A PERCENT OF TOTAL GENERAL FUND REVENUES IN IOWA PUBLIC SCHOOLS 1997-1998, 2006-2007, AND 2007-2008

Source of Revenue	1997-1998	2006-2007	2007-2008
Local taxes	32.6%	33.0%	32.4%
Interagency	3.6	5.0	5.0
Other Local Sources	2.5	2.6	2.4
Intermediate Sources	0.2	0.1	0.0
State Foundation Aid	53.1	49.3	48.7
Other State Sources	5.1	5.5	7.0
Federal Sources	2.7	4.3	4.2
Other Financing Sources	0.3	0.2	0.2

Average Total Expenditure Per Pupil 2007-2008

State/Nation	Per Pupil Expenditure	National Rank	
Nation	\$9,963	_	
Illinois	\$10,993	16	
Wisconsin	\$10,643	18	
Minnesota	\$10,560	20	
Kansas	\$9,544	25	
Nebraska	\$8,752	37	
Missouri	\$8,466	41	
South Dakota	\$8,250	43	
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